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METHOD AND APPARATUS BASED

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## TRANSMITTAL OF SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION FOR REISSUE APPLICATION

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Dear Sir:

With reference to the subject application, enclosed is the executed supplemental reissue declaration. Applicant request this document be entered into the present application.

The Examiner has indicated this application is in condition for allowance once the enclosed declaration is submitted. If, for any reason, the Examiner finds the application other than in condition for allowance, Applicants request that the Examiner contact the undersigned attorney at the Los Angeles telephone number (213) 892-5587 to discuss any steps necessary to place the application in condition for allowance.

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